

House Resolution No. 2049

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Sara Roberts, a cherished resident of West Plains, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninetieth Birthday on April 25, 2004; and

Whereas, on April 25, 1914, in Oregon County, God brought a special gift to John H. Roy and Mary J. (Mollie) Williams Roy with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Sara, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Sara Roberts will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage to Floyd E. Roberts, the births of their offspring, and her eleven years of employment at Citronic in Doniphan; and

Whereas, God has blessed Sara Roberts with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include three children, Donald Lee Roberts, Bobby Joe Roberts, and Ronnie Ray Roberts; nine grandchildren; and twenty-one great-grandchildren, all of whom have brought great pride and happiness into her life; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Sara Roberts loves to work with the flowers in her yard and spend time with her loved ones; and

Whereas, a member of the Free Will Baptist Church in Koshkonog, Sara Roberts is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Sara Roberts at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri nonagenarian Sara Roberts, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Mike Dethrow
District No. 153

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2049, adopted April 22, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker